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Dear Sir

APPOINTMENT OF NEW CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

We wish to inform you that Mr Lee Wai Fai has been appointed as the Chief Financial Officer of UOB with effect from 1 June 2005.

Yours faithfully for UNITED OVERSEAS BANK LIMITED

Vivien Chan

Company Secretary

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